



IN THE U.S. PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Thomas KNEIDEL Conf.: 4545

Appl. No.: 09/486,763 Group: 2154

Filed: March 2, 2000 Examiner: Kenny S. LIN

For: DATA TRANSMISSION SYSTEM BASED ON COMBINED
SHORTWAVE SATELLITE TRANSMISSION

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Respectfully submitted,

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AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, DC 20231

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Sir:

In response to the Examiner's Office Action dated January 30, 2003, the following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted in connection with the above-identified application.

It is noted that the amendments presented on the following pages comply with the "Revised Amendment Format" as set forth in the Official Gazette Notice dated February 25, 2003. Therefore, according to the Notice, the provisions of 37 C.F.R. 1.121 (a)-(d) should thus be waived.